Community Health Association of Spokane

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Director: Peg Hopkins

HCH Coordinator: Martha Nelson

Medical Director: Alyson Roby, MD (Interim)

UDS Number: 102570

Project Description

Community Health Association of Spokane (CHAS) uses an Integrated Care Management Team (ICMT) approach to primary and preventive medical and dental health care, emphasizing comprehensive assessment, staffing, and health care management based on individual needs.

Services

CHAS provides primary health care to all ages. Directly provided services include well child check-ups and immunizations, women's health care, dental care, restorative dental services for children, outreach, case management, health education, chronic illness management, prenatal and obstetrics, First Step maternity support services, and mental health services.

Linkages

The project maintains arrangements with specialty physicians, hospitals, homeless shelters and social service providers, transportation brokers, geriatric community, schools, community mental health, private sector, churches, and universities.

Statistics

Estimated homeless population: 9,539 Project users: 3,138



Community Health Center of Snohomish County - Health Care for the Homeless

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 13060

Everett, WA 98206

Location:

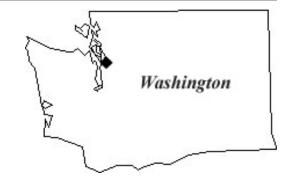
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Director: Kenneth M. Green

HCH Coordinator: Mary McMurtry **Medical Director:** Andy Hurst, MD

UDS Number: 102280



Project Description

Community Health Center of Snohomish County provides medical, dental, behavioral health, pharmacy, and case management services to people who are homeless in Snohomish County.

Services

Community Health Center of Snohomish County offers services at clinic locations in Everett and Lynwood. Behavioral health specialists and social workers are onsite at medical clinics to provide case management and behavioral health care services. A medical provider and medical assistant conduct outreach to several shelters and homeless service sites in Everett.

Linkages

Referrals are made for inpatient hospital care, specialty services, most diagnostic services, some pharmacy services, and radiology. Referrals are made for substance abuse treatment, housing, employment, and other social services. Referrals for mental health services beyond the scope of onsite mental health professionals are made to the Regional Support Network or Compass Health. Substance abuse referrals are made to Northwest Alternatives, Catholic Community Services, Evergreen Manor, Focus, SeaMar, and the Stillaquamish Tribes.

Statistics

Estimated homeless population: 4,567 Project users: 1,274

Metropolitan Development Council, Health Care for the Homeless

Mailing Address:

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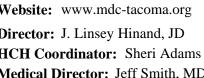
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UDS Number: 100690





Project Description

The Metropolitan Development Council (MDC), a nonprofit community action agency, provides family practice health services throughout Tacoma/Pierce County. Comprehensive services are provided through a contract with Community Health Care (CHC) and partnerships with various homeless service providers.

Services

Services are provided at the Tacoma Rescue Mission and at various CHC clinics. Medical services for female victims of domestic violence and their children are provided at the YWCA and CHC's Downtown Clinic. A psychiatrist is available weekly at the Tacoma Rescue Mission. CHC provides dental services at clinics and a mobile dental van provided by Northwest Medical Teams International. Substance abuse counseling and referral services, outreach, and case management are provided by staff at MDC.

Linkages

The HCH program is a member of the Tacoma Pierce Co. Coalition for the Homeless and has linkages with local providers, including Tacoma Rescue Mission, Comprehensive Mental Health Center, YWCA, Northwest Medical Teams, VA, Tacoma Pierce Co. Health Dept., Salvation Army, Catholic Community Services, Trinity Presbyterian Church, Bethel School District, Veterans Independent Enterprises, and Children's Home Society.

Statistics

Estimated homeless population: 7,8000 Project users: 2,770

Subcontractor(s):

Community Health Care

101 East 26th Street, Suite 100

Tacoma, WA 98421 Contact: David Flentge Phone: (253) 597-4550

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Martin Luther King Housing Development Association

1023 Martin Luther King Jr. Way

Tacoma, WA 98405 Contact: Felix Flannigan Phone: (253) 627-1099 Fax: (253) 627-1187

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Comprehensive Mental Health Center

514 South 13th Street Tacoma, WA 98402 Contact: Karen Wild Phone: (253) 396-5060

Public Health - Seattle and King County

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Director: Alonzo Plough, PhD, MPH **HCH Coordinator:** Janna Wilson **Medical Director:** Charissa Fotinos, MD

UDS Number: 102340

Project Description

The Health Care for the Homeless Network (HCHN) is a community project of Public Health - Seattle and King County. Through a combination of direct and subcontracted services, individuals who are homeless can access care at shelters and other homeless programs, community health centers, and public health clinics.

Services

HCHN subcontracts with community based agencies to operate multi-disciplinary, interagency teams organized by geographic sub regions of King County. Services are provided at more than 70 sites, including shelters, day centers, transitional housing, a sobering support center, and community health centers. Services include street outreach, primary care, nursing care, mental health and substance abuse services, case management, linkages to housing, eligibility assistance, a 22-bed medical respite program, and referrals. HCHN provides technical consultation and training for shelter staff on health and safety issues. Services for people who are homeless are also available at 10 public health clinic sites.

Linkages

HCHN maintains linkages with numerous health, human services, and government entities, including community health centers, Harborview Medical Center, and the King County mental health and substance abuse service system. HCHN is a member of state and local homeless coalitions, a regional Committee to End Homelessness, and Washington State Association of Community and Migrant Health Centers. HCHN collaborates with public health programs, including primary care and dental clinics, TB clinic, HIV/AIDS program, WIC, and family planning agencies.

Statistics

Estimated homeless population: 45,000 Project users: 22,304

Subcontractor(s):

Community Health Centers of King County

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Evergreen Treatment Services

1700 Airport Way South Seattle, WA 98134-1618 Contact: Ron Jackson Phone: (206) 223-3644 Fax: (206) 223-1482 Country Doctor Community Clinic

500 19th Avenue East Seattle, WA 98112 Contact: Linda McVeigh Phone: (206) 461-4524 Fax: (206) 461-7948

Harborview Medical Center - Pioneer Square Clinic

Washington

206 Third Avenue South Seattle, WA 98104 Contact: Sandy Olson Phone: (206) 521-1750 Fax: (206) 521-1754

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Pike Market Medical Clinic

1930 Post Alley Seattle, WA 98101 Contact: Des Scubi Phone: (206) 728-1687 Fax: (206) 728-8653 Email: dess@pikemed.org

Seattle Indian Health Board

611 12th Avenue South, P.O. Box 3364

Seattle, WA 98195 Contact: Ralph Forquera Phone: (206) 324-9360 Fax: (206) 324-8190

Valley Cities Counseling and Consultation

2704 "I" Street NE Auburn, WA 98002 Contact: Marilyn LaCelle Phone: (253) 833-7444 Fax: (253) 833-0480

Puget Sound Neighborhood Health Centers / 45th Street

Clinic

1629 North 45th Street Seattle, WA 98103-6701 Contact: Sharon O'Dell Phone: (206) 461-6935 Fax: (206) 461-8382

University of Washington, Div of Adolescent Medicine

CHDD Box 357920 Seattle, WA 98195 Contact: Mark Smith Phone: (206) 526-2028 Fax: (206) 543-5771

YWCA of Seattle-King County

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Sea Mar Health Care for the Homeless

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Director: Rogelio Riojas

HCH Coordinator: Shanon Daws **Medical Director:** Ricardo Jimenez, MD

UDS Number: 101020

Project Description

Sea Mar Community Health Center serves persons who are homeless in Skagit, Island, and Whatcom Counties, providing direct care as well as services that are subcontracted through community health centers.

Services

Clinic facilities are the model of service delivery for the Sea Mar Community Health Center's HCH program. Sea Mar's Whatcom County Center visits the Light House and Agape Missions. Expanded regional accessibility is provided through subcontractors. All sites perform outreach to shelters, missions, outdoor congregate sites, treatment centers, churches, and other service agencies. All sites provide primary care services, preventive health services, well child care, family planning services, emergency medical services, eligibility/entitlement assistance, transportation, translation, and food and clothing assistance. The Skagit and Whatcom County clinics provide preventive dental services. Some onsite diagnostic laboratory services and medication samples are available. All sites provide direct substance abuse services for initial screening, diagnosis, advocacy, and referral. Sea Mar Centers provide mental health services including outreach, case management, counseling (group and individual), and admissions to hospitals and treatment facilities.

Linkages

Referrals are made for inpatient hospital care, specialty services, most diagnostic laboratory and radiology services, and most pharmaceutical services. Referrals are made for substance abuse treatment, individual and group counseling, substance abuse education, housing and vocational education training. Referrals for mental health services are made to Skagit Valley Hospital Care Unit, PORTAL, and St. Joseph Hospital.

Statistics

Estimated homeless population: 12,000 Project users: 2,804

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